

New Xmas Merchandise

all ready for Holiday Trade

Our Xmas decorations are all completed and every stock is filled with new Xmas merchandise—articles that will make useful and pleasing holiday presents. Don't fail to come in and see the store at this, the most pleasant season of the year.

Here are a few items—just a hint of the good things to be found in every department:

Ladies' Fur Muffs and Scarfs.....\$1.98 up
Black Petticoats.....39c, 49c 69c, 98c
Kimonos.....\$1.48 and \$1.98
Shirt Waists.....89c
Outing Gowns.....50c, 75c \$1.00
Children's Sweaters.....50c, 75c, \$1.00
Aviator Knit Caps.....50c, \$1.00, \$1.25

AT THE NOTION COUNTER

Fancy Hat Pins.....25c, 50c
Collar Pins set with French white stones.....25c
Belt Pins and Collar pins. Big assortment 25c, 50c
Initial Shirt Waist Pins.....50c
Back Combs and Barrettes.....25c, 50c
Perfume put up in fancy boxes.....25c and 50c
German Silver Mesh Bags.....50c up

HOSIERY

Cadet Hosiery for men, women and children. The kind that wear. Four pairs in holiday box for.....\$1.00
Racine Felt. Stop darning, use Racine Felt. Ask us to show you how; 3 pair for.....25c
Knit Shawls and Fascinators, all colors; prices starting at.....25c
Outing Skirt patterns.....25c
Outing Skirts finished.....50c
Knit Skirts.....25c, 50c
Wool Knit Skirts.....\$1.00 and \$1.50
Wool Skirt Patterns.....\$1.00
Heavy Wool Shawls, all sizes.....75c to \$6

BLANKETS and COMFORTS

Big assortment of cotton and wool blankets and comfortables. Too big a line to describe here. Come in and see them.
Cotton blankets start at.....69c
Wool blankets start at.....\$3.98
Comfortables start at.....\$1.00

HANDKERCHIEFS

When in doubt give handkerchiefs. We have them for every member of the family. All prices starting at.....1c each
Here are two especially interesting values:
Handkerchief put up at the mill in sealed packages thus insuring clean, sanitary merchandise.....10c to 25c
Ladies' Linen Hemstitched initial handkerchiefs embroidered in one corner. Six in a box, per box.....\$1.00
Knit Mufflers. Made to fit and keep out cold.....25c and 50c

FOR MEN

Men's four-in-hand ties.....25c and 50c
Men's hose, 4 pairs in holiday box, per box.....\$1
Men's plain white or figured pleated bosom shirts. Packed one in holiday box.....\$1.00

TOWELS

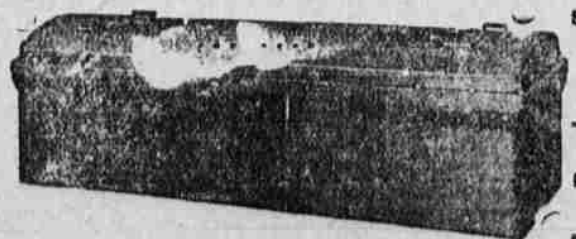
See our display of linen towels. All sizes, designs and qualities. Price starting at.....25c

SMALL RUGS

Small rugs in a variety of pleasing patterns.....\$1.50 to \$4.00

The A. A. Dowds Dry Goods Co.
THE STORE OF QUALITY

THE NATIONAL



Steel Reinforced
Waterproof
Cement Burial
Vault

A reinforced,
poured, Cement
Burial Vault

Damp proof, does not corrode or rust, and always prevents a sunken grave. Not just as good, but better than any vault made from any material. Weight, 900 pounds. Prices reasonable. Manufactured by
W. H. WEST, Mt. Vernon, O. Citizens' Phone 351 Red Bell Phone No. R-280 For Sale by all Undertakers

LIFE

Sentence Given Charles
Suttles By Judge Seward

Samuel Beeman Gets 15
Months In The Pen

Both Cases To Be Carried
To Circuit Court

Howard Bartlett Gets Sus-
pended Jail Sentence

Other Notes Of Interest From
The Court House

Charles Suttles—Ohio penitentiary for life.

Samuel Beeman—15 months in Pen.
Howard Bartlett—County jail for 60 days, same suspended.

Such were the sentences imposed on three defendants in the court of common pleas late Saturday afternoon by Judge Charles W. Seward of Newark.

Suttles was found guilty of ravishing a girl under 12 years of age and Saturday afternoon a motion for a new trial was argued before the court. Hon. W. M. Koons, attorney for Suttles, filed an affidavit alleging misconduct on the part of a juror, in that he had expressed an opinion as to the defendant's guilt before the trial. The juror on Saturday filed a counter affidavit denying that he had made such a statement. After hearing all the arguments, Judge Seward overruled the motion and ordered the defendant to arise and receive sentence.

When asked if he had any statement to make, Suttles stated that he was innocent of the crime. The court thereupon sentenced Suttles to life in the Ohio penitentiary at hard labor.

Samuel Beeman, found guilty of burglary, and whose motion for a new trial had been overruled, was next to be sentenced by the court. Beeman confessed that he had served a term in the Ohio penitentiary for burglary, but that he was innocent of the crime. He was sentenced to 15 months in the penitentiary.

Howard Bartlett, found guilty of non-support, stated to the court that he would support his minor child in the future if given another chance. He was sentenced to 60 days in the county jail but sentence was suspended upon condition that he support the minor child and if at any time he refused to support the child then the jail sentence was to be enforced.

The attorneys for Suttles and Beeman cases would be carried to the circuit court and that they expected to present them to the court at Mt. Gilead this week and asked for a stay of execution until the cases are heard in the circuit court. The same was allowed by Judge Seward.

Court was adjourned by Judge Seward Saturday afternoon until a date to be arranged later.

Taken to Gallipoli

Juvenile Officer Purcell went to Gallipoli Monday afternoon taking with him Florence Penrose, a young girl, who has been ordered committed to the state hospital for epileptics. He was accompanied by Mrs. Wolford.

The Walkins Estate

Eva M. Cook of Fredericktown has been appointed administratrix of Mary A. Walkins, giving bond in the sum of \$100, with J. C. Cook and A. C. Huddle as sureties. No appraisalment required.

Trustee Appointed

James Burson Jr., of Mt. Vernon has been appointed trustee of Mary Elizabeth Burson, giving bond in the sum of \$2,000, with John Vance and Irvin Young as sureties.

Marriage License

Morgan J. Shultz, farmer, Jefferson township, and Pearl M. Hess, Union township. Rev. H. A. Shook.

Deeds Filed

Etta Perfect to R. H. Long, 40 acres in Hilliar, \$2,700.

John R. Long to R. H. Long, parcel in Hilliar, \$1.

R. L. Jones to Rollie E. Jones, 80 acres in Jackson, \$2,250.

Desautel B. Kirk to Selora B. Cooksey, part lot 555, Browning & Delano's addition to city, \$550.

FIRE IN TAMMANY HALL

New York, Dec. 12.—Tammanny Hall was badly damaged on the interior by fire early today. Loss about \$25,000.

FORMER

Resident Of Knox County
Was Charles Smith

The Man Whose Death Re-
sulted From Swallowing
False Teeth

Columbus, O., Dec. 12.—Charles Smith, 41, an engine tester, who lived at Marion, died in Grant hospital from hemorrhages caused by swallowing his false teeth four weeks ago and from the shock of an operation performed in the desperate hope of saving his life.

Charles Smith of Marion, O., who swallowed his false teeth and whose death resulted in Grant hospital, Columbus, Sunday was a former resident of North Liberty, Knox county, and was visiting at North Liberty when he had the misfortune to swallow his teeth. This occurred four weeks ago and Mr. Smith experienced no ill effects until a day or so ago when an operation was necessary to save his life. Hemorrhages resulted and his death came Sunday.

Mr. Smith was 41 years of age and resided in North Liberty for several years. He has a number of brothers and sisters living near North Liberty.

The body was shipped to Butler and the funeral will occur Wednesday afternoon.

BRINK HAVEN.

Mrs. Jonas Clark died at her home one mile west of here, Thursday morning, Dec. 8th, at 2 o'clock a. m., of a complication of diseases. About a year ago she was afflicted with a disease of the bones of the feet, which necessitated the amputation of her foot last spring. She leaves a husband, five sons, and a host of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. The funeral was held here Saturday morning, conducted by the Rev. H. A. Shook. Interment in the Brink Haven cemetery. She was about 60 years of age.

C. S. Starnes made a business trip to Mt. Vernon last Saturday.

Receiver Wm. M. Reynolds of Cleveland was here Monday looking after the affairs of the defunct Union Savings & Banking Company.

The Modern Remedy Co. conducted a successful show here from a financial standpoint last week.

The new modern residence of L. E. Church is almost completed.

Sheriff P. J. Parker of Mt. Vernon attended the recent meeting of Brink Haven Lodge, No. 905, I. O. O. F., at which the officers were elected for the ensuing year. They are as follows: Noble Grand, C. C. Lelter; Vice-Grand, E. C. Jones; Warden, Martin Hyatt; Secretary, C. E. Slate; Treasurer, C. E. Hibberts; Trustee, George Sumtiner.

It is reported that Engineer J. D. Crill had his feet frozen very badly one day recently, while coaling up the engine at the docks here. Some one reported that he was wearing boxing gloves at present to protect them, but of course we can not vouch for the authority of the statement.

At the contest held here the past week, Miss Alice Pipes received the largest number of votes as the most popular lady in the village, and Lela Stringfellow the largest number as being the most popular baby.

The depositors last week sent Mr. Chas. McDonald to Cleveland to investigate the possibility of holding the directors and stockholders of the Union Savings & Banking Co. liable for the loss sustained by the depositors here in the recent failure of the above bank. He reported that it looked to him that we might be able to collect at least a part of this as the Collinwood depositors had already made preparations to institute a similar suit for their shortage.

The state inspector of schools was here last week and made some valuable suggestions to the members of the Board of Education.

MANY CALLS FOR OBERLIN BUSINESS COLLEGE GRADUATES

Calls for Oberlin Business College graduates continue to pour upon the school. Among those received the past week is one from the Fostoria Business college for teacher, one from L. S. & M. S. Ry. Co. at Elyria paying good salary and another from the Dean Electric Co. at Elyria for stenographer. Students who go to Oberlin have an advantage when ready for positions on account of the great reputation of this school for thorough work. The winter term will begin Monday, Jan. 2, 1911.

BANNER WANT ADS PAY

COUNTY

Convention Of Laymen Move-
ment To Be Held Here

Plans are fully developed for the Knox County Laymen's Missionary convention to be held in Mt. Vernon Wednesday afternoon and evening of this week. The speakers secured for this occasion are Mr. Sam Higginbottom, a missionary of the Presbyterian board, who is giving special attention to the lepers of India. He has charge of a leper asylum. Mr. J. Campbell White, national secretary for the Laymen's movement says that Mr. Higginbottom has a very powerful message relative to his work. Dr. Blackman, a medical missionary from Africa, who has been for a great many years working among the savages of that country, and has the very best plans for reaching and uplifting and enlightening those people. E. Dow Bancroft, secretary for the Laymen's Movement in Columbus, and who is one of the strongest speakers in the state on this topic. The committee felt that it has been exceedingly fortunate in the selection of their speakers and now it remains for the men of the county to come in and get the good things.

The meeting will be held at the Young Men's Christian Association beginning at two o'clock in the afternoon, the evening meeting being held at 7 o'clock. In the evening there will be a splendid musical program furnished by Mrs. Clyde Weaver and the Methodist Sunday school orchestra. Mrs. Rudolph will give a number of readings. This will add very materially to the program. All the meetings are open to everybody, both men and women.

When Satan hears a fellow swearing at cool weather in this world, he smiles and mutters: "The fool doesn't know when he is well off."

FARMERS TO STATE THEIR CASE

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 12.—In order that there may be no mistake concerning their views on important public questions affecting their interests, the farmers of Canada are going to Ottawa to confer directly with the members of the Dominion Government and Parliament. Tonight a special train leaves Winnipeg with a delegation of half a thousand representative farmers of Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan. At Ottawa the Western farmers will be joined by a delegation of several hundred representing the Eastern provinces and together they set forth their ideas as to what is best for the agricultural community and the public at large on the questions of the tariff, reciprocity with the United States and preference on British goods.

The farmers, it is said, will advocate reciprocity in natural products and in timber and free trade in agricultural implements with the United States. A demand will also be made for an increase of the preference on British goods, with a stated annual increase until free trade with Great Britain is obtained. The Western farmers will also recommend that the terminal elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William be conducted as a public utility and that the proposed Hudson's Bay Railway be constructed and operated by the Government.

We are never able to feel so very sorry for the man whom the cost of living forces to use his last year's automobile.

TRY A BANNER WANT AD IT PAYS

A LOOK

At Our Holiday Line will do you a world of good, and whether you buy or not, we want you to see it

Quality The Best
Prices Right

MANICURE SETS

LEATHER GOODS

TOILET SETS

BRASS WARE

SHAVING SETS

PERFUMES

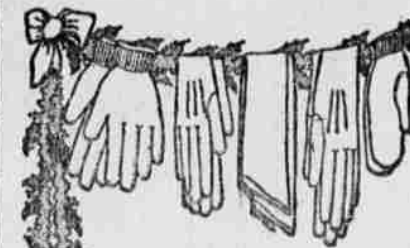
TRAVELING SETS

LOREY'S DRUG STORE

115 South Main St.

Mt. Vernon, O.

Useful Holiday Gifts



Every day scores of Merry Xmas shoppers are making their selections from our magnificent stock of bright, new holiday goods. We show hundreds of useful presents suitable for Men, Young Men and Boys.

TIMELY SUGGESTIONS

THE NEW MUFLERS

You can select your Christmas remembrances here from choice silks of beautiful colors and rare patterns; also knitted styles from wool and silk and wool.....50c to \$2.50

Reefers make presents that are really appreciated. We have them at.....50c to \$3.00

NECKWEAR

Choice silks, handsome patterns and beautiful plain shades. You'll be glad to see these offerings at.....50c

Special Xmas line, each tie with a handsome initial gold stick-pin.....50c

We are again fortunate in having secured an especially attractive line of silk 4-in-hands to sell at this season at.....25c

DRESS GLOVES

We make a leader of the great Perrin line. You take no chance whatever—they are guaranteed to fit.

Full stock of silk-lined Mochas, Kids, in the wanted colors and best makes.

FUR GLOVES

These are certainly gifts that will be appreciated.

...\$2.50 to \$6.00

Made with long or short cuffs.

HOSIERY

Everything that is new, fashionable and in keeping with the Holiday season. Cotton mercerized, wool, and silk in the late shades and patterns at popular prices.

COMBINATION SETS

These are much in demand and this store offers sets that cannot be duplicated—ties and handkerchiefs, or ties, hose supporters and handkerchiefs that match in exquisite colorings.

HEADWEAR

Whether he is young or old he will like a fur cap. They are quite the proper thing these days, dressy and comfortable. There is nothing nicer than a fur cap for Xmas.

HOUSE COATS AND FANCY VESTS

Made of the finest materials in a host of attractive colors, the very newest models and only the correct styles. Do not fail to see the elegant garments that we are now offering.

Sipe & White

TAILORS - FURNISHERS

MT. VERNON, OHIO

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